2977. Adulteration of chorionic gonadotropin. U. S. v. 47 Vials * * * (F. D. C. No. 27721. Sample No. 52057-K.)

LIBEL FILED: August 25, 1949, Northern District of Ohio.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about December 30, 1948, and January 5, 1949, from New York, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 47 10-cc. vials of chorionic gonadotropin at Canton, Ohio. Examination showed that the product consisted of chorionic gonadotropin, with a potency of not more than 1,250 International Units per vial. The product was invoiced as one having a potency of 5,000 International Units per vial.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (c), the strength of the article differed from that which it purported or was represented to possess, namely, 5,000 International Units of chorionic gonadotropin per vial. The product was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: November 2, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

2978. Adulteration of procaine injection. U. S. v. 44 Vials * * *. (F. D. C. No. 28259. Sample No. 57344-K.)

LIBEL FILED: November 2, 1949, District of New Jersey.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 15, 1949, from New York, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 44 vials of proceine injection at Irvington, N. J.

LABEL, IN PART: (Vial) "No. 97F 100 cc. Vial Multiple Dose Procaine Injection 1%."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (b), the article purported to be and was represented as "Ampuls of Procaine Hydrochloride," a drug the name of which is recognized in the National Formulary, an official compendium, and its quality and purity fell below the official standard since it was contaminated with undissolved material. The article was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: December 19, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

2979. Adulteration of Thiosol and calcium gluconate. U. S. v. 16 Vials, etc. (F. D. C. No. 28025. Sample Nos. 58213-K, 58215-K.)

LIBEL FILED: October 5, 1949, Southern District of California.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about July 5 and 26, 1949, by Vincent Christina & Co., Inc., from New York, N. Y.

PRODUCT: 16 100-cc. vials of *Thiosol*, and 4 boxes, each containing 24 10-cc. ampuls, of *calcium gluconate*, at Los Angeles, Calif.

LABEL, IN PART: "Thiosol An organic solution of Sulfur Intramuscular—Intravenous" and "Calconate 10% Solution Each 10 cc contains 1 Gm. Calcium Gluconate U. S. P. * * For Intravenous or Intramuscular Use."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (b), the calcium gluconate purported to be, and was represented as, "Calcium Gluconate Injection," a drug the name of which is recognized in the United States Pharmacopoeia, an official compendium, and its quality and purity fell below the official standard since it was contaminated with undissolved material; and, Section 501 (c), the purity and quality of the *Thiosol* fell below that which it purported and